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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

Responsive to the final Office Action dated January 22, 2008 in the patent application identified above, please reconsider the application in light of the amendment and appended remarks. A petition for a one-month extension of time ("EOT") and a request for continued examination ("RCE") accompanies this response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.